

REMARKS

Claims 1-30 were presented for examination in the present application. Claims 31-71 were previously cancelled. The instant amendment cancels non-elected claims 1-29 without prejudice and adds new claims 72-104. Thus, claims 30 and 72-104 remain pending for consideration upon entry of the instant amended. Applicants respectfully reserve the right to file a divisional application directed to non-elected the subject matter.

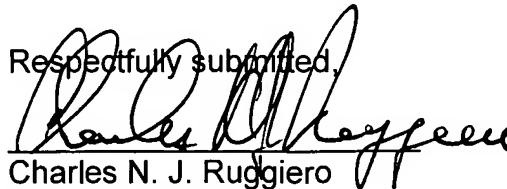
The Office Action requires restriction under PCT Rule 13.1 between the method of Group I (claims 1-29) and the apparatus of Group II (claim 30). Applicants elect the invention of Group II, which includes claim 30.

Claims 72-104 have been added to point out various aspects of the present application. Claims 72-104 are directed to the apparatus of elected Group II. Support for new claims 72-104 can be found at least in original claims 31-71. No new matter is added.

In view of the above, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in condition for examination. Applicants respectfully request favorable consideration and passage of this application to allowance. If for any reason the Examiner feels that consultation with Applicants' attorney would be helpful in the advancement of the prosecution, the Examiner is invited to call the telephone number below.

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Respectfully submitted,



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